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Committees: Economic Development, International Trade and Regulatory Affairs (Chair); Judiciary;

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Biography: Republican, of Midland; born October 13, 1953, at Midland; Bachelor of Science in

Foreign Service (B.S.F.S.), cum laude, Georgetown University, Washington, D.C., 1976; University of Aberdeen, Scotland, 1974-1975; J.D., University of San Francisco School of Law, San Francisco, CA, 1979; married to the former Cynthia Grebe; children: Heidi and William; vice president, Rollin M. Gerstacker Foundation; board of trustees, Elsa U. Pardee Foundation; board of directors, United Way of Midland County, Michigan F.F.A. Foundation, and Junior Achievement of Midland; member, National Advisory Committee to the University of Michigan College of Engineering and the Visiting Committee of the Gerald R. Ford Institute at Albion College; member, Board of Trustees of Albion College; member, law firm of Currie & Kendall, P.C., of Midland; served in the United States House of Representatives, 1985-1990; member, United States House Committees on Budget and Agriculture, and the Select Committee on Aging; director, Michigan Department of Agriculture, 1991-1994; created the Michigan Harvest Gathering to raise funds and collect food to feed the hungry, an effort which was nationally recognized with a First Place Public Service Excellence Award from the Public Employees Roundtable in 1993; elected to the State Senate, November

